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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), it is respectfully requested that a three-month extension of time be granted in which to file an Appeal Brief, thereby extending the date on which the period of response is set to expire from 23 October 2005 to 23 November 2005.

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